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Applicants :

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Title:

POINT OF SALE (POS) STATION HAVING BAR CODE READING SYSTEM WITH INTEGRATED INTERNET-

ENABLED CUSTOMER-KIOSK TERMINAL (As amended)

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION FILING DATE GRANTED

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Missing Parts of Application/Filing Date Granted dated March 1, 2002, Applicants submit herewith the following documents for filing in the above-referenced Application:

- Combined Declaration of Inventorship And Power of Attorney;
- Preliminary Amendment;
- Part 2 of Notice Of Missing Parts Of Application/Filing Date Granted mailed March 1, 2002; and
- Return Receipt Postcard.

Enclosed is Thomas J Perkowski, Esq. PC Check No. 2841 in the amount of \$1098.00, in payment of the requisite filing fee of the same amount. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any fee deficiencies or overpayments to Deposit Account No. 16-1340. A duplicate of this document is enclosed herewith.



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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below. however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$1428.
 - \$1428 for 17 independent claims over 3.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
 - A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(!) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 2298.

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